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**RESPONSE**

This communication is in response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed June 22, 2006, the period of response for which has been extended two months to run through November 22, 2006, please enter and consider the following.

Please amend the above-identified application as indicated on the attached pages.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.